DOMICILIARY CARE FACILITIES BOARD

Vacancy, Chairperson
David E. Harmon, Vice-Chairperson, 1994

Appointed by Governor (who names chair): Edith Gordine Blount; Howard N. Hall; David E. Harmon; one vacancy. Terms expire 1994.

Representative of Md. Disability Law Center appointed by Governor: Elizabeth Jones

Ex officio: Rosalie S. Abrams, Director on Aging; Carolyn W. Colvin, Secretary of Human Resources; Nelson J. Sabatini, Secretary of Health & Mental Hygiene.

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The Domiciliary Care Facilities Board was created by the Governor at the request of the General Assembly in 1984 (Joint Resolution no. 23, Acts of 1984). In 1986, the Board was established by law (Chapter 726, Acts of 1986).

Because the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, the Department of Human Resources, and the Office on Aging all license and regulate domiciliary care facilities, the Board formulates and implements policy and coordinates agency responsibility. The Board also reviews and approves policies and regulations that govern domiciliary care facilities and related programs. Such facilities provide domiciliary, personal or nursing care to unrelated individuals who are dependent on the facility for assistance with daily living activities in a safe, sanitary and healthful environment.

The Board has nine members. Four are appointed to four-year terms by the Governor and include a domiciliary care facility provider, and three consumers. One member, appointed by the Governor, represents the Maryland Disability Law Center. Four serve ex officio. The Governor designates the chairperson (Code 1957, Art. 41, sec. 10-601).

MARYLAND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Merle S. Elliott, Chairperson, 1995

Appointed by Governor with Senate advice & consent: H. Lee Boatwright III, 1992; W. Edwin Cole, Jr., 1994; Gerald K. Holthaus, 1994; Walter H. Plosila, Ph.D., 1994; Jerry C. Lymas, 1995; Vernon C. Terry, 1995; Leonard R. Sachs, 1996; Martha A. Smith, Ph.D., 1996; Mario F. VillaSanta, 1996.

Ex officio: Mark L. Wasserman, Secretary of Economic & Employment Development; O. James Lighthizer, Secretary of Transportation.

Hans F. Mayer, Executive Director

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Established in 1984, the Maryland Economic Development Corporation is a public instrumentality of the State (Chapter 498, Acts of 1984). The Corporation enables the State to develop property for economic purposes. To serve the public interest, the Corporation develops vacant or unused industrial sites and facilities and other economic resources in which the private sector has shown no significant interest or development capability.

The Corporation operates in economically distressed areas of the State. It helps State and local economic development agencies expand, modernize, and retain businesses, and attract new ones.

The Board of Directors is appointed by the Governor with Senate advice and consent. It consists of twelve members, including two ex officio voting members. Members serve four-year terms. With the Governor's approval, the Board appoints the Executive Director (Code 1957, Art. 83A, secs. 5-101 through 5-116).

EDUCATION COORDINATING COMMITTEE

Herbert H. Fincher, Chairperson

Representing Maryland Higher Education Commission: Osborne A. Payne; Walter Sondheim, Jr.; Constance Cornell Stuart.

Representing State Board of Education: Robert C. Embry, Jr.; Christopher E. Grant; Harry D. Shapiro, Esq.

Ex officio: Nancy S. Grasmick, Ph.D., State Superintendent of Schools; Shaila R. Aery, Ed.D., Secretary of Higher Education.

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The Education Coordinating Committee was formed in 1976 (Chapter 538, Acts of 1976). The Committee coordinates the policies and activities of the State Board of Education, the State Superintendent of Schools, the Maryland Higher Education Commission, and the Secretary of Higher Education. The Committee studies and makes recommendations regarding educational policies that concern or affect elementary, secondary or higher education.

The Committee is comprised of eight members: three members of the State Board of Education selected by its president; three members of the